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Local News Items Personal Comment

Richmond Elks are preparing for their dance at East Shore June 2.

The Stags will give their first annual dance Saturday, June 3 at East Shore Park.

Rev. R. S. Walker of the First Baptist church has been called to Martinez Sunday.

The local water commission has given up the Snow Mountain Water Power Co. project.

A large bunch of Berkeley Stags attended the meeting of the Richmond drome Wednesday night.

Rev. S. K. Skinner, who was confined to the Craven hospital on account of illness, is able to be out again.

George Mulholland of San Francisco was in town Monday. Mr. Mulholland is owner of the Pullman Park tract.

Martinez liquor licenses will remain at \$600 per annum. Twenty-one saloons petitioned for a reduction to \$400. The town trustees refused to grant the reduction.

A surprise birthday party was given in honor of Mrs. John V. McCulloch at her beautiful Northbrae (Albany) home Wednesday. Covers were laid for 25 couples. The program and social features were greatly enjoyed by all.

A. A. Winfree is installed in his new store.

Paul Rate, firebug, plead guilty

Boosters Had Splendid Feed

The booster luncheon served by the ladies of the First Presbyterian church Wednesday in Pythian hall was one of the most enjoyable get-togethers of the year. Boosters were in attendance from several of the bay cities. Enthusiastic and interesting speeches were made by Rev. Frank Linder, Senator J. C. Owens, Mayor Elw. J. Garrard and others. The meeting will be the means of reviving the booster spirit in Richmond.

No Chance.

It is said the resolution requiring John D. Rockefeller and other magnates who have interests in Richmond to reside in this city is "not feasible," and that the promoters will drop the matter. However, workingmen had better "look out."

Natives to Give Invitational Dance

Richmond Parlor No. 217, N. S. G. W. will entertain a dancing party next Wednesday night in honor of the native daughters, at Pythian Castle. There will be special music. The affair is to be strictly invitational.

R. E. Slattery Wins In School Election

R. E. Slattery was elected a member of the board of education Saturday to succeed E. L. Jones. Slattery won in all the precincts except two. The vote resulted: Slattery, 452; Shea, 353. Total vote, 805.

Sixty cents for the round trip to Martinez Sunday on account of the ball game.

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Gypsies Laughed, Then Relented

When a gang of gypsies pitched camp near the Valley House Thursday night the horses were allowed to roam at will with the result that good fodder was soon found in John Duane's barley field. Duane demanded Friday that the Syrians pay him \$15 for the damage. They laughed at him, whereupon Duane had a warrant issued for their arrest and the leaders of the gang of 18 or 20 men and women were taken into custody and jerked up before Justice Hayden. There they cooled off rapidly and upon the payment of damages were released and ordered to "beat it." — Martinez Gazette.

Rev. Thos. A. Boyer To Deliver Lecture

Sunday is "Mothers Day," and if you desire to end the day by giving your mother, wife, sister or sweetheart a rare treat, take them to the Tenth street school auditorium Sunday night to hear Rev. Thomas A. Boyer, who will address the Elks of Oakland. You are especially invited. Admission free.

Richmond News Wants Damages

The Richmond News has filed a suit for \$25,000 damages against a number of corporations and citizens of Contra Costa county, alleging conspiracy in attempting to rain and wreck the business of the News, which was up to March of this year a daily, published in the interest of organized labor.

The complaint occupies a page and a half in the Weekly News and has attracted much attention in labor circles throughout the state, and it is said a large fund is assured to fight the case, labor contributing generously.

W. F. Kearney, W. S. Timming, and C. S. Hammun are attorneys for the News.

Passing of Fairmont School Janitor

Albert Lane, for many years janitor of Fairmont school east of San Pablo avenue in Rust, is dead. He had been in ill health for some time. Mr. Lane was a prominent man in the county line neighborhood, and will be missed by a large circle of friends, and especially James Lipp (Blind Jim), to whom he devoted much time in reading the newspapers each day at the Lipp home where Mr. Lane resided.

Mother of Presidents

Virginia achieved the distinction of being called the "Mother of Presidents" by giving to the nation the following Presidents: George Washington, Thomas Jefferson, James Madison, James Monroe and John Tyler. Ohio, with no such distinction as "Mother," has presented to the White House the following William Henry Harrison, Rutherford B. Hayes, James A. Garfield, William Howard Taft, and now comes the rumor that Warren G. Harding is likely to be next in the list of Ohio's favorite sons for President.

Trimming Thinkographs.

There are Thinkographs in My hair, in the air, on the Roof, on the floor, everywhere Oh, Hula, you're a Bear.

—Pretty Fair.

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Shack and Firetrap Declared Nuisance

Mrs. Martha Mountfort, a Second street property owner has started a clean-up campaign and is entitled to the praise of her neighbors in her vicinity on First, Second, Third, Macdonald, Bissell and Chanslor avenues for her efforts. In a few short hours the petition to remove a certain building as a nuisance was signed and filed with the city council Monday on schedule time. The place is a menace and an eyesore and an unsanitary firetrap, it is said, and raises the cost of fire insurance.

The Unique restaurant, 225 Macdonald avenue, is making extensive changes, and will carry nothing but the best the market affords for the patrons' inner man.

LITTLE TERMINALS.

The war to be waged to exterminate the English sparrow is not necessary. Gasoline is doing it.

Iowa is crying for farm hands. An ad. in the Los Angeles newspapers should relieve the situation.

Beware of those sordid thoughts. They lead to ossification of the arteries and a berth in the "old spav" department.

Abe Martin says some wives kiss their husbands when the latter return from work to ascertain if they have been drinkin' licker.

It is estimated that 10,000 persons attend the University of California hospital each year for free medical treatment and advice.

A Richmond telephone girl said: "No I shall never wed. What I've heard over the wires the past two years in this service is enough, I believe me!"

The administration club of San Francisco Typographical Union No. 21 endorsed Geo. A. Tracy for President of No. 21, which has a membership of over 1000.

One of the smallest schools in California, and a night school at that, defeated all the high schools in the state in the preliminary rounds of the contest for the state debating championship.

J. C. Crome, for several months editor of the Signal, who has been on a vacation to regain his health, has resumed his duties. Mr. Crome will remain with this paper permanently. —Crockett Signal.

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"I am reminded every time a man does wrong," says a letter coming to this office, of the fidelity of his wife who clings to him. She cannot receive too much credit, but what else is there for her to do? As a rule her friends and relatives turn on her, and the miserable man she has married is all she has left."

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Taylor Safine Goes To Petaluma Ranch

A. Safine, the tailor at 206 Macdonald avenue, has moved to Petaluma where he purchased a small ranch and will engage in the chicken business along with tailoring. Isadore and Esther will no doubt enjoy their new home in the famous egg producing belt.

Hoey Endorsed
For Postmaster

James Hoey was endorsed for postmaster of Martinez by the democratic county central committee by a vote of 14 out of 23. The democrats of Contra Costa county have endorsed a good man and an old pioneer.

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Seattle Man Takes Look at Richmond

A. B. St. John, president of the Pacific Export Publishing Co., was in Richmond Tuesday and paid The Terminal a pleasant visit. Mr. St. John was motored over the city by Senator Owens, the harbor improvements being especially interesting to Mr. St. John. The latter says that Seattle is enjoying an era of great prosperity on account of Alaska trade and the impetus given mining caused by the rise in silver.

THE "PAN-AMERICAN PACT."

In the issue of August 13th last, referring to the Pan-American Pact and President Wilson's blunders, the Terminal said: "Now trying to shift responsibility on our neighbors of uncertain responsibility, to be deplored at all the blunders."

Professor Wilson has taken into his Kindergarten School of Diplomacy such pupils as Brazil, Argentina, Chile, Bolivia, Guatemala and Uruguay.

The usual order in this school is reversed and the teacher must now hold up his hand and ask the pupils: "Please may I go out? It is necessary."

"What is the trouble, dear teacher?"

"Why the Mexicans are killing American members of my immediate political family."

"No, 'sonny,' better keep 'in-doors' these Mexicans are dangerous people, an' besides they are our 'kith and kin'; and we wouldn't like to have you disturb them while they are attending strictly to their regular business of killing."

Many bemoan the high cost of living; few reflect upon the high manner of living—simply regard the highest manner of living as the basis of the highest pleasure in living. If this be true how miserable must have been many of our ancestors! Three centuries ago in England \$25,00 a year was "a fair living for a yeoman"; \$25,00 a year, the expense of a scholar in the University; \$50.00 to \$100.00 a year adequate for the estate of a gentleman, or the income of the lord of a single manor; a knight with \$750.00 a year, extremely rich; a preacher "passing rich at forty pounds a year." In commenting on the high cost of living it would seem quite worth while to ponder on "How wide the limits stand between a splendid and a happy land."

The price of printing paper and material is sky high and still climbing. The Terminal luckily stocked up heavily before the "jump in prices." If you want good stock, good set ups, good press work at reasonable prices, give us a trial order. We can print anything, and please the most fastidious.

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The four sections make it easy of adjustment to any form. The metal parts and adjustment wheels are highly polished and nicely nickel plated. It is mounted on a copper extension stand, equipped with rollers, and the weight is negligible. This wonderfully helpful accessory of the sewing room is sold by CAPWELLS at the very low figure of \$5.95.

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Great Fun
For the Children

It would seem that in the way of wheeled vehicles the ingenuity of inventors might have been exhausted, but now comes an entirely new one on the market. A kind the countryclamors for. This wheeled contrivance is for both boys and girls, is equipped with three wheels and turning gear, and is practically indestructible. Be sure to have your little one take a try on one in our Toyland, 3d floor. It is in four sizes, at prices \$1.25 to \$3.00.

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Weekly Summary of World's News

OFFICIAL STATEMENTS FROM THE EUROPEAN WAR ZONE

German

Berlin, May 5.—The official statement today says:

"Western front: Lively fighting continues on the British front between Armentieres and Arras. Near Givenchy-En-Gobelle there were hand-grenade combats about a mine crater in which the enemy had obtained a temporary footing.

"South of the Somme German patrols entered a position of the enemy, repulsed a counter-attack and captured one officer and forty-five soldiers.

"West of the Meuse (Verdun front) German troops entered French defensive positions on the salient west of Avocourt, which had been evacuated by the enemy in consequence of the German fire. These positions were destroyed and abandoned, according to the plan.

"Southeast of Haucourt several French trenches were captured and prisoners were taken. Repeated attacks of the enemy against our position west of Dead Man's Hill broke down completely.

"East of the Meuse the artillery actions were intense, especially during the night.

"A British biplane with French signs was captured intact by us on the coast near the Dutch frontier. The inmates escaped to neutral territory.

"A German aerial squadron dropped many bombs with success on the railroads in Niblette and Auve valleys, and also on the aeronautic station at Spaes."

The Austrian statement, dated May 4th, says: "In the night an airship of the enemy crossed our lines at the mouth of Wippach, dropped bombs and continued its northward in the Irida valley

HELP FROM JUDGE IS ASKED BY WIFE SLAYER

Oakland.—A plea for assistance in securing his release upon probation was received by Superior Judge F. B. Ogden in a letter May 5 from Charles Clark Lawrence, now serving a life sentence in San Quentin for the murder of his wife, Orpha, last December. In his communication Lawrence states that he has been informed of his trial before Judge Ogden and in recollection of his attorney's argument.

During the trial it was brought out by his counsel that he was subject to epilepsy and at times suffered loss of memory.

Judge Ogden stated that while he

felt sorry for Lawrence, he would take no action until the necessary eight years had been served.

UNITED STATES MARINES LAND IN SAN DOMINGO

Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic.—Marines were landed May 5 from the American converted cruiser Prairie for the protection of the American legation.

The situation growing out of the attempt of factional leaders to overthrow the administration of President Jiminez is critical.

President Jiminez has ordered the governor of Santo Domingo City to take charge of the forces under General Ferrer. The rural guards have been placed under the command of authorities appointed by the chief executive.

USING THE FIELD BUZZER



An important adjunct of the army on the march is the "field buzzer," which is used to connect the front with the commanding officers and with all parts of the line.

French

Paris, May 5.—The War Office statement issued this evening says:

"Bad weather has impeded operations on most parts of the front, where only artillery fighting has been reported.

"To the west of the Meuse the bombardment went on with increased violence during the course of the day on the sector of Hill 304.

In the region of the Avocourt wood and the Caurettes wood the bombardment is less violent, but continuous.

"To the east of the Meuse and in the Woerre moderate artillery activity is reported.

"Army of the East—On the night of May 4th, about 2 o'clock in the morning, a Zeppelin which was hovering over Salomiki was brought down by the artillery of the allied fleet. The Zeppelin fell in flames at the mouth of the Vardar river.

"Belgian communication: The German artillery at daybreak opened a violent fire on our positions to the north of Steenstraete and Dixmude. A very spirited fight between bomb throwers and pieces of every caliber ensued. During the bombardment of the German line we severely damaged the German defense organizations, which were shattered at several points."

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GOLDEN STATE NEWS TERSELY TOLD

Willows.—This city is to have an amusement park.

Vallejo.—A movie studio will be erected at Blue Rock Springs.

Arbuckle.—E. E. Wicker has resigned as Arbuckle boost secretary.

Porterville.—Joseph Carter, orcharist, died here Wednesday, May 3.

Marysville.—It is reported that bonus \$5 coins are in circulation here.

Willows.—Thomas Reidy, British army veteran, died here Tuesday, May 2.

Richmond.—The body of an unknown man was found in the bay Wednesday, May 3.

Oakland.—James H. Greely, Jr., died Wednesday, May 5, as a result of a stroke of apoplexy while on a street car.

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When You Stack
It or Bale It

The modern way—
The sensible way

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—the salt more than pays
for itself in the weight of
the hay—holds the mois-
ture, makes 5 tons equal 6.

Prevents Musting----
—checks the growth of
molds when the moisture
content is high.

Improves the Feed----
—the cattle thrive on
salted hay and they like
its taste. Stock will eat
it up clean, where unsalted
hay will be mussed
over and wasted.

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SALT ALFALFA HAY
all the year round for
feeding dairy cows to in-
crease the flow of milk.

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hand; then another layer
of hay, more salt, and
so on.

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ICE KEEPS FIREMEN WARM

The Thicker the Coating of the Con-
gealed Fluid the Better the
Weaver Will Feel.

Want an overcoat that will shut out
the chill better than fur or chinchilla? Then get draped in a suit of ice. It's
the latest winter apparel, and is worn
at conflagration functions by members
of the Minneapolis fire department,
says the Journal of that city.

The wearer may look like an arctic
explorer who has been blown in a blizzard,
but he will be as warm and snug as a
person in a cabinet bath.

People who see the firemen with
their clothing incrusted with ice are
moved to sympathy for the cold they
believe the firemen are suffering," said
Arthur C. Price, fire marshal.

"As a matter of fact, the ice is the best pro-
tection against frigidity that the fire-
men have. It shuts out the air and
hermetically seals in the body's
warmth.

"It is practically impossible to keep
from getting coated with ice at a winter
fire. Even if a fireman doesn't get
in range of the nozzle or a broken
hose he is certain to get soaked with a
fine spray that fills the air. Once this
freezes he looks like an icicle, and is
almost as warm as a stove poker.

"The only disadvantage is the
weight. He feels about as sprightly
as a deep-sea diver. Sometimes the
ice on his hat will be an inch thick
or more.

"Occasionally, where firemen have
to remain stationary for some time
while water pools about their feet,
they get frozen in and have to be
chopped out with axes. Do they feel
cold? Not a bit of it. The ice keeps
them warm.

"It is a common thing for firemen
to get back to the stations and find
themselves so crusted that they can't
loosen their spanner belts or unbolt
their coats. In such cases other
firemen beat them with the flat part
of axes."

To prevent gangrene use Hanford's
Balsam because it cleanses and heals
the wound. Adv.

**MANY CASES
OF
STOMACH AND
BOWEL DISORDERS**

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to delay

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TRY — — —
HOSTETTER'S
Stomach Bitters**
AT THE FIRST SIGN OF TROUBLE

**UGH! A DOSE OF
NASTY CALOMEL**

It salivates! It makes you sick
and you may lose a
day's work.

You're bilious, sluggish, constipated
and believe you need vile, dangerous
drugs to start your liver and clean
your bowels.

Here's a guarantee! Ask your druggist
for a 50 cent bottle of Dodson's
Liver Tone and take a spoonful tonight.
If it doesn't start your liver better than
calomel and without griping or making
you sick I want you to go back to the
store and get your money.

Take calomel today and tomorrow
you will be weak, sick and un-
seated. Don't have a day's work. Take
a spoonful of harmless, vegetable Dod-
son's Liver Tone tonight and wake up
feeling great. It's perfectly harmless,
give it to your children any time.
It can't salivate, so let them eat anything
afterwards.—Adv.

American Gets War Cross.
The American Journal Officially publishes
a list of citations and names of officers
and soldiers who have been
awarded the war cross. The list includes
the name of Joseph Lydon of Salem, Mass., a member of the Foreign Legion. The Journal calls him an
"excellent soldier" and relates the following episode:

"At an advanced post outlook he
had his foot cut to pieces by a shell
splinter. He repressed every sigh,
although suffering intense pain. To
an officer who encouraged him he an-
swered: 'It is nothing, sergeant; it
is for France!'"

For Nail in the Foot.
Horses and cattle are liable to blood
poisoning from stepping on rusty nail.
For such an injury apply Hanford's
Balsam. It is a妙药. Take a
Marrow Bone and get it into the
bottom of the wound. It should kill
the poisonous germs. Always have a
bottle in your stable, because you will
find different uses for it. Adv.

His Limited Knowledge.
"Money talks, you know, and—"
"You may be right," acknowledged
the discouraged-looking man. "I have
not for a long time been able to get
near enough to it to know whether it
does or not. I sometimes see it in the
distance making derisive gestures at me
with its thumb to its nose, but that is
about as far as my acquaintance with it
goes."

You CAN CURE THAT BACKACHE
and other Disabling Aches and
Pains. Get a pack-
age of MOTHER GRAY'S AROMATIC
Balsam. It is a妙药. For all
Kinds of Backache, Bladder and Urinary
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Exactly.

"Would you—er—marry me, Win-
nie?"

"Oh! Aly, you surprise me! Certainly
I'll marry you."

"But—I'm not serious, dunche-
know! Cawt you accept a joke?"

"That's exactly what I've done."—
Life.

**Pimplies, boils, carbuncles, dry up and
disappear with Doctor Pierce's Golden
Medicine. In tablets or liquid.**

His Recoveries.

"Did he recover from the accident?"
"Yes. And \$10,000 from the railroad
company besides."

Johnny Reads the War News.

"What is a counter attack, pa?"

"When your mother goes shopping,
Johnny,"—Judge.

**"I DON'T SUFFER
ANY MORE"**

**Feel Like a New Person,
says Mrs. Hamilton.**

New Castle, Ind.—"From the time
I was eleven years old until I was seven
teen I suffered each month so I had to be
in bed. I had headache, backache and
such pains I would cramp double every month.
I did not know what it was
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run down and the doctors did not do
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E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and
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If you want special advice write to

Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine
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Your letter will be opened, read

and answered by a woman, and

held in strict confidence.

The common soldiers had a larger
room, but not nearly so fine as this of
the officers' quarters. Every here and there
on the sides of the main passage of the

trench were little cupboards, where

War Time in Berlin

WE HAVE been having some wonderful days here in Berlin. Beautiful sunshiny days like spring. The day when the rumor came that old King Nicholas wanted peace was a glorious day. Everybody was celebrating a little bit, and the school children were given a day off. It is not so bad to be a child in war time, for they get so many vacations, but think of the poor youngsters that follow and have to write the entire history of this war, wrote Mary Ethel McAuley in the Pittsburgh Dispatch.

The Tiergarten was packed with people and thousands of nials for the iron Hindenburg were being sold. At Brandenburger gate I saw the crown prince go by in an open carriage. He was having an awful time trying to get his glove buttoned. I had never imagined that real princesses had troubles of that kind. She is a fine, handsome, big woman, bright and clever, and much beloved.

Unter den Linden was one stream of flags and banners. They looked glorious in the bright sunlight, and the wind swished them every which way. The Bulgarian flag is very beautiful—red, white and a lurid shade of green—that makes one think of spring.

We had our second breakfast in Cafe Victoria. I like this cafe. It is not in the least fashionable, in fact most of the frequenters are middle-aged Jewish people, who transact business over a cup of coffee. Selling diamonds seems to be their chief occupation. But everyone tends to their own business, and foreigners are not stared at and made to feel uncomfortable. The windows are so large that you can sit here by the hour and watch them go by. Them, of course, means the soldiers.

In the last few weeks I have learned a whole lot about soldiers. I can tell an underofficer from a common soldier, a sergeant from a feldwebel, and a leutnant from an oberleutnant. It is not easy to learn, and took much studying. But I like brass buttons and gold braid. The dress of the German officer is so simple and elegant that Beau Brummel would be jealous if he

could see it, for Brummel always said officers, and most of them officers, It was just marvelous how many German damsels had managed to scrape up officers with whom to go walking on this fine afternoon. Most of the people had brought their cakes along with them, and then ordered coffee. This would not be considered the thing in America, but in Germany it is in very good taste.

When we returned home we went by another way, and over on the other side of the lake were a number of Russian prisoners sawing wood. A guard was watching them from the hill. He was not stationed there to keep them from escaping, but to keep them working. One soldier in our party—we had a soldier, too—asked them in Polish how they liked Germany. "Oh, it is fine," they answered. "Much better than Russia." They wanted to talk more, but the soldier on the hill shouted something and they all commenced saying as hard as they could. After we left the cafe we went to see the exhibition of war things that is being held at Zoological gardens. They have everything here that belongs to war and a soldier. They have a number of captured cannon, British, French and Russian. They have two English aeroplanes and a number of motorboats. They have uniforms of all the warring nations. Some of the costumes were very beautiful. The Bulgarian were especially so, but they were almost too gay to be very practical. The models that wore the uniforms were very funny. They have hands and feet of wooden dolls, but their faces were most realistic looking; indeed, some of them seemed to be winking at you.

Just Like a Real Trench.

Outside the main exhibition building, on a large lot, a trench had been built. It had been built by soldiers that had been in the war, so it was exactly like the real ones. You enter a trench by going down steps, and this one was about seven feet high and about three feet wide. Radiating from all the sides of the main part of the trench were other passages and rooms. The officers' room was, of course, the finest. It was lined with canvas and cloth and was furnished with an old couch and some chairs. Iron lanterns hung from the ceiling and these make both the light and the heat for the trenchmen. On the wall hung a large sign, "Butter ausverkauft" (butter sold out). Empty cans were also hung on the wall and they are used for matches, and cigars, etc.

There was a slight commotion in the rear of the room, and a nervous little man rose to the occasion—and his feet.

"And now, my friend, will you explain in just what way you have conserved the forests of our nation?"

"And with the utmost gravity and sincerity the little man said: "I have used the same toothpick twice."

IF YOU SUFFER FROM BACKACHE, LUMBAGO, KIDNEYS OR RHEUMATISM, TAKE HOT WATER AND "ANURIC"

American men and women must guard constantly against kidney trouble, because we eat too much and all our food is rich. Our blood is filled with uric acid, which the kidneys strive to filter out, they work from morning to night, become sluggish, the eliminative tissues clog and the result is kidney trouble, bladder weakness and a general decline in health.

When your kidneys feel like lump of stone, when your back hurts or the urine is cloudy, full of sediment, or you are obliged to urinate two or three times during the night, when you suffer with sick headache or dizzy nervous spells, acid stomach, or you have rheumatism, give it to your doctor—*"ANURIC."* Because of this medicine and you know that his "Pleasant Pellets" for the liver and his "Favorite Prescription" for the ill system, backache, pains here and there,

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Novel Fruit Barrels.
A partitioned barrel has been invented
by a fruit man in British Columbia, patents for which have been applied for in Canada and this country.

It is similar to any ordinary barrel, according to a commerce report, but it is divided into two equal parts by partitions which are adjusted so that the barrel may be sawed in two without injuring the contents, practically making two half barrels.

The advantages claimed for the new barrel are that it can be made of cheap sawed lumber, shipped in the knock down state and assembled easily at the packing house; also that the fruit can be shipped without wrapping because of the firmness imparted by the central partition. The fruit shipped in it is said to arrive in perfect condition.

For harness sores apply Hanford's Balsam. Adv.

China Awaking.

After dinner we went to Grunewald

to a little place we know there. It was a day, such a beautiful day! The sun shone through the trees. To get to the inn you must first walk through a bit of forest, and after a little you come to a little lake. It is very pretty lake, where bathing is "verboten."

The walls run along the lake and it finally leads to a little hunting lodge, which looks like a tiny castle. It has many red-roofed towers and latticed windows, and in the center is a large court, which is decorated with many deer heads.

At the other end of the lake is the inn, which was packed, of course. Everybody was drinking coffee and chatting. Half of the men were soldiers.

Hanford's Balsam is used to cool burns. Adv.

